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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED EXAMINING PROCEDURE  
GROUP ART UNIT 2631  
PATENT APPLICATION  
Q64787

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Yuzo YONEYAMA

Appln. No.: 09/870,843

Confirmation No.: 8685

Filed: June 1, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2631

Examiner: Juan A. Torres

For: DIVERSITY TYPE TRANSMITTER HAVING  
SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING THE DELAY  
TIME OF EACH OF PLURAL TRANSMISSION UNITS

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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and 8 contain allowable subject matter in view of the rejection of claim 6 as being allegedly anticipated by *Meszko* under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) (FOA pages 4-5). Claims 5, 7 and 8 are presented in independent form and claim 6 is cancelled via this Amendment. Claim 9 is allowed (Office Action Summary).

In view of the preceding amendments and remarks, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue that the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, he is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees (except the Issue/Publication Fees) to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any over-payments to said Deposit Account.

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